

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shinichi NOMURA et al.

Application No.: 10/590,974

Filed: October 20, 2006

Docket No.: 128581

For: DRIVING APPARATUS FOR HYBRID VEHICLE (AS AMENDED)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to taking the application up for examination, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.